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Sent: Thursday, December 03, 2015 4:03 PM

To: Hatfield, William S. Cc: Arnold, Adam C.

Subject: RE: Diamond Alkali - Dioxin Investigation

Attachments: 12.03.2015 final response epa-r2-2015-011138.PDF

Bill and Adam -

This is to let you know that we are uploading the balance of our response to your Freedom of Information Act request for release through FOIAonline. The release will most likely occur tomorrow. I am attaching a copy of the final letter.

We do not have data in house yet, but we will provide it when it is available - which we hope will be this month.

We are holding February 2, 2016 at 11 am as a potential meeting date.

Regards, -Sarah

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Sent: Tuesday, November 17, 2015 11:26 AM
To: Flanagan, Sarah <Flanagan.Sarah@epa.gov>
Cc: Arnold, Adam C. <AArnold@gibbonslaw.com>
Subject: RE: Diamond Alkali - Dioxin Investigation

Hi Sara:

I hope this finds you well. Thanks for your email below. Late Jan 2016 or early Feb 2016 works for a meeting, assuming all of the data is in and has been reviewed by then. How about Jan 26 or 27 at 11 am at your office in NYC? If not then, Feb 2 or 3 at 11 am?

Please forward us the EPA lab data collected from Clifton and Lister pursuant to our FOIA request. We do not need to wait for the validated data - the lab reports themselves (after internal lab QA/QC) is acceptable and EPA can provide the final validation package thereafter. Please forward what is available in a rolling submission under the FOIA.

Thank you.

Regards,

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From: Flanagan, Sarah [mailto:Flanagan.Sarah@epa.gov]

Sent: Tuesday, October 27, 2015 7:34 PM

To: Hatfield, William S. **Cc:** Arnold, Adam C.

Subject: RE: Diamond Alkali - Dioxin Investigation

Bill,

I talked with Eugenia about a meeting in early December and I've learned that we may not have all the validated data by that time. We do expect data to be in by the end of December, but we'll need some time to look at it, so late January 2016 is probably the earliest we would be able to talk with you about the results. Would you like to propose some days/times, or would you like us to take the first crack at that?

By the way, Region 2 provided the Lockheed and LSRP field notes to Adam through FOIAonline, along with other information responsive to the FOIA request. We are still gathering information in response to the request and will release more information most likely before the end of November.

-Sarah

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From: Flanagan, Sarah

Sent: Friday, September 25, 2015 5:26 PM

To: 'Hatfield, William S.' < WHatfield@gibbonslaw.com > Cc: Arnold, Adam C. < AArnold@gibbonslaw.com > Subject: RE: Diamond Alkali - Dioxin Investigation

Bill,

Please see attached letter and the report from the LSRP retained for purposes of attesting to the integrity of the containment cell in connection with EPA's recent sampling effort.

With respect to the other information, i.e., field notes, etc., that we agreed to provide, we have not yet received it from Lockheed Martin and will forward it when we do.

Regards, -Sarah

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From: Hatfield, William S. [mailto:WHatfield@gibbonslaw.com]

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To: Flanagan, Sarah < Flanagan.Sarah@epa.gov > Cc: Arnold, Adam C. < AArnold@gibbonslaw.com > Subject: RE: Diamond Alkali - Dioxin Investigation

Sarah:

Thank you for this additional information. We understand that EPA and its contractors were pleased with the cooperative field efforts with Givaudan and its consultants on this matter.

In follow up to our prior discussions and requests, please provide us with an update on the status of, and all documents and written communications (paper and electronic) concerning, EPA's dioxin investigation and sampling at the Lister Avenue site. We understand that sampling work was completed this month.

This request includes, but is not limited to, copies of all QAPPs, amendments, field notes, boring logs, site figures, photos, videos, analytical data, laboratory reports and summary tables, QA/QC, chain of custody, site sampling data or other reports, etc. We also request the same documents for the EPA's work at the Clifton site (to the extent that those documents have not yet been provided). Kindly forward these documents to us as they become available and advise when we can expect same.

Finally, please advise whether EPA will be placing any documents from the Clifton and/or Lister sampling work in the administrative record and which specific record(s)/file(s) those documents will be placed in.

Thank you.

Bill

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Sent: Thursday, August 27, 2015 3:34 PM **To:** Hatfield, William S.; Arnold, Adam C. **Subject:** Diamond Alkali - Dioxin Investigation

Bill and Adam,

Attached for your information are the QAPP modification forms prepared following the sampling events at the Givaudan property in Clifton, and at 80 Lister Avenue. Please let me know if you have any questions. As you know, Rick Wroblewski was present during the Clifton sampling.

We will provide the notice of completion when we receive the LSRP certification.

Regards,

-Sarah

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